HB 975 -- AGRICULTURE

SPONSOR: Houghton

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Agriculture Policy by a vote of 12 to 0.

This bill adds bison to the definition of livestock.

This bill is the same as SB 307 (2017) and HB 1731 (2016).

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that the animal currently in Missouri that is classified as buffalo is actually bison.

Testifying for the bill was Representative Houghton.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.